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Egg Production

Iowa: Egg production in Iowa for June 2009 was 1.19 billion eggs, down from 1.20 billion in June 2008. The total number of layers on hand during June 2009 was 53.5 million, up from 53.4 million layers in June 2008. Eggs per 100 layers for the month of June was 2,215, down from 2,253 eggs the previous year.

United States: U.S. egg production totaled 7.34 billion during June 2009, down slightly from last

year. Production included 6.29 billion table eggs, and 1.06 billion hatching eggs, of which 988 million were broiler-type and 70 million were egg-type. The total number of layers during June 2009 averaged 333 million, down 2 percent from last year. June egg production per 100 layers was 2,204 eggs, up 1 percent from June 2008.

All Layers and Egg Production, June 2008 and 2009 1

State	Table Egg Layers		All layers on hand ²		Eggs per 100 layers		Egg production by type					
	in Flocks						Total production		Table eggs ³		Hatching eggs ³	
	30,000 & Above											
	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009
	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Number	Number	Million eggs	Million eggs	Million eggs	Million eggs	Million eggs	Million eggs
AR	3,600	3,292	13,565	12,176	1,917	1,955	260	238	82	77	178	161
CA	20,342	19,114	20,636	19,424	2,132	2,234	440	434				
GA	9,046	8,782	18,402	17,423	1,994	2,038	367	355	192	193	175	162
IN	23,540	22,305	24,230	23,006	2,245	2,308	544	531	532	518	12	13
IA	52,518	52,679	53,432	53,542	2,253	2,215	1,204	1,186	1,190	1,173	14	13
MN	9,516	9,506	10,006	10,024	2,259	2,205	226	221	217	212	9	9
NE	9,329	9,424	9,379	9,474	2,356	2,396	221	227	221	227	0	0
NC	4,878	5,394	12,425	12,609	1,988	2,086	247	263	114	135	133	128
OH	25,968	25,935	26,429	26,404	2,198	2,257	581	596				
PA	20,424	21,250	21,529	22,319	2,360	2,375	508	530	489	511	19	19
TX	13,445	12,716	18,041	17,207	2,178	2,174	393	374				
29 Sts ⁴	259,994	257,025	315,349	310,061	2,181	2,211	6,877	6,854	5,912	5,930	965	924
US	274,639	271,774	338,664	333,197	2,175	2,204	7,367	7,343	6,262	6,285	1,104	1,058

¹2009 preliminary, 2008 revised ² Includes all layers and eggs produced in both table egg and hatching egg flocks regardless of size ³ Data by type of flock not shown for some states to avoid disclosing individual operations ⁴ The 29 states are AL, AR, CA, CO, CT, FL, GA, HI, IN, IL, IA, ME, MD, MN, MI, MS, MO, NE, NY, NC, OH, OR, PA, SC, SD, TX, VA, WA, and WI.